

**RHODE ISLAND BOARD OF EXAMINERS IN CHIROPRACTIC
MINUTES OF OPEN MEETING**

24 August 2006

A meeting of the Board of Chiropractic Physicians was held on the above date in the RI Department of Health, 3 Capitol Hill, Conference Room 104, Providence, Rhode Island at 8:30 a.m.

A quorum was established and the Chairman called the meeting to order at 8:30 a..m

Board members in attendance:

David Bruno, D.C., Chairman

Donald Murphy, D.C

Ronald Marsh, D.D.

Robert Ricci, Ph.D.

Louis Marciano

Staff members in attendance were:

Gail Giuliano, Board Administrator

Donna Dickerman, Senior Board Administrator

Linda Julian, Investigator

Bruce McIntyre, Legal Counsel

At this time, the Chairman called for a motion to adjourn the “Open Session” and enter into “Closed Executive Session” for the purpose

of discussing disciplinary matters pursuant to the applicable exceptions of the “Open Meeting Law”, so called of Chapter 42-46-5 sub-division (1) and (4) of the General Laws.

Upon motion by Dr. Ricci, seconded by Dr. Murphy, the Board voted unanimously to enter into “Executive Session” at 8:31 a.m.

The Board returned to “Open Session” at 10:08 am.

Ms. Dickerman recused herself from the meeting at this time.

The Chairman requested that any decisions ratified during the “Closed Executive Session” be made public for the record, as well as, any business discussed which should be disclosed in the “Open Meeting.”

The Chairman reported that the status of the chiropractic license of Dr. Andrew Lombardi has been changed to “suspended”. He explained that Dr. Lombardi had been found guilty of Unprofessional Conduct and had entered into a Consent Order with the Board on January 18, 2002. The terms of the order called for a three- year suspension, followed by five years probation, and completion of an ethics course. The order further provided him the opportunity to petition the Board for reinstatement after two years. In researching this matter, it has been determined that Dr. Lombardi has never formally petitioned the Board and has been illegally renewing his

license since 2004. In that he has not met the terms of his order, the Board voted to change the status of Dr. Lombardi's license from "Active" to "Suspended..."

Dr. Bruno called for a motion to seal the minutes of the "Closed Executive Session" of 15 June 2006 meeting pursuant to Section 42-46 (1) and (2). Upon motion of Dr. Bruno, seconded by Mr. Marciano, the Board Voted unanimously to seal the minutes of that meeting.

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After reviewing the open minutes of the 15 June 2006 meeting, upon motion of Dr. Murphy, seconded by Dr. Ricci, it was unanimously voted by the Board to approve the minutes as presented.

The following candidates were issued licenses since the last Board meeting:

Ronald Clary Jr., DC - NY Chiropractic	2004
Michael Stewart, DC LIFE University	1995
Sara Dubois, DC - NY Chiropractic	2006

Mara Prentice, DC - Parker Chiropractic 1995

The next regularly scheduled meeting will be held on 12 October 2006 at the Department of Health, Conference Room 104.

Dr. Bruno reported that the National Board of Chiropractic Examiners has extended an invitation for two chiropractic members of the RI Board members to participate in the November 2006 administration of Part IV of the National Board Practical Examination. He advised interested members to contact Mrs. Giuliano as soon as possible, as the deadline for submitting applications and resumes is September 29, 2006.

Upon Motion of Dr. Bruno, seconded by Dr. Murphy, it was unanimously VOTED by the Board to adjourn the meeting at 10:15 am.

Respectfully submitted,

Gail P. Giuliano

Board Administrator

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